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Applicant : Richard Voellmy  
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For : MOLECULAR REGULATORY CIRCUITS TO ACHIEVE  
SUSTAINED ACTIVATION OF GENES OF INTEREST BY  
A SINGLE STRESS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 25, 1999, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please insert the enclosed Sequence Listing immediately after the section of the specification entitled "Abstract of the Disclosure," on page 42.

Page 14, line 26, immediately after "NGAANN TTCNNNNNNNN TTCNNGA AN" please insert -- (SEQ ID NO:3) --.

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